

March 5 1945

Mr E. R. Reilly
2209 Neil Ave.
Columbus Ohio

Dear Mr Reilly:

I am in receipt of your correspondence of March 1st, and am hastening to answer as there are a couple mistakes in the order.

First of all I do not want a "N" on the caps or Jackets. We play so many different cities I have decided to use "Eagles" or an "E" altogether. I do not want Newark or "N" used on anything.

You said you were going to ask the factory to arrange for an "N" to be put on the caps. Please change this to an "E", and I would much prefer sending the caps to them to have the letters put on.

Next you said you were ordering twenty jackets. I believe seventeen (17) will be plenty. I think if we just eliminate the 3 size 40, it would take care of it. We will be lucky if we can get 15 men together. One of our men has already gone to Mexico, Hooker the pitcher.

I will send a check for the caps, and re-order the balls at the same time, as you suggested. Sorry for these little inconveniences, I hope they can be taken care of without too much trouble. We are going ahead with plans and hoping for the best. The salaries the men are asking for this year do not make any sense. They are taking advantage of the fact they have you on the defensive.

Very Truly Yours